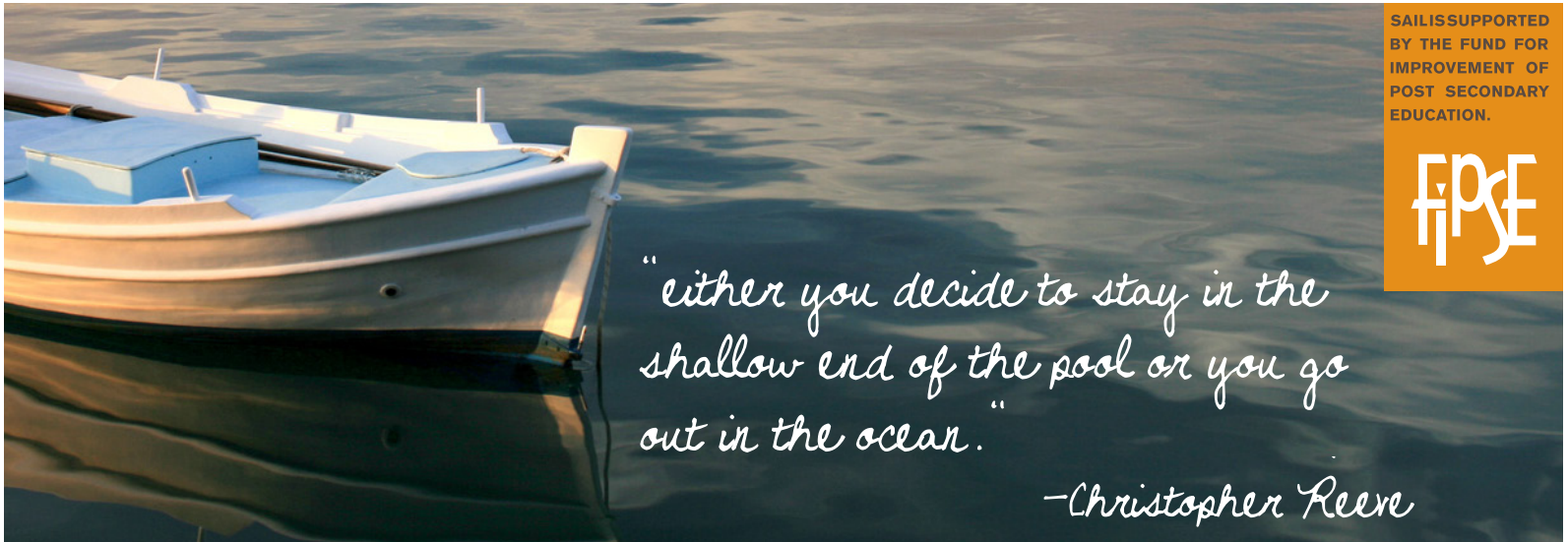


SAIL

STANISLAUS ASOCIACIÓN DE INVESTIGACIÓN LATINA

A COMMUNITY OF LEARNERS FOCUSED ON EXCELLENCE IN HISPANIC EDUCATION
UNA CONGREGACIÓN DE EDUCADORES CENTRADA EN LA EXCELENCIA PARA LA COMUNIDAD HISPANA



SAIL IS SUPPORTED
BY THE FUND FOR
IMPROVEMENT OF
POST SECONDARY
EDUCATION.

FIPSE

*"either you decide to stay in the
shallow end of the pool or you go
out in the ocean."*

-Christopher Reeve



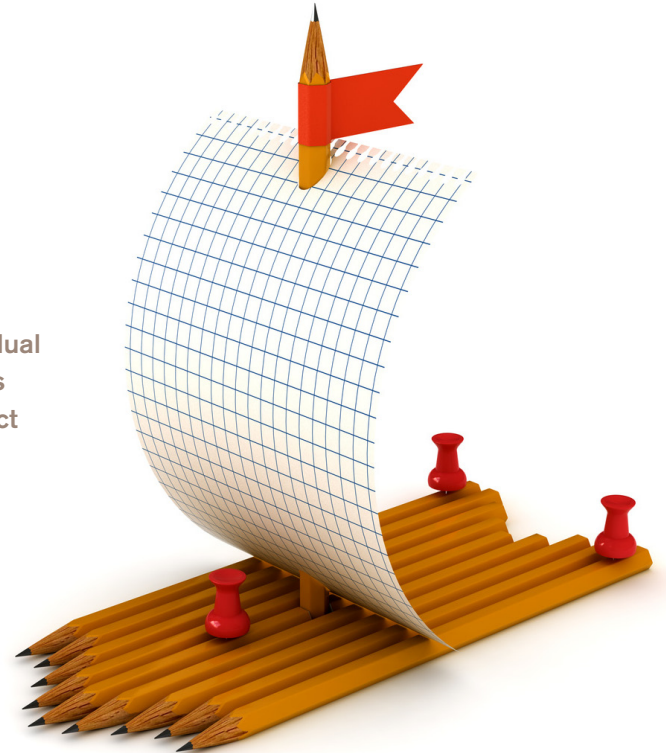
DEDICATED TO IDENTIFYING AND SUPPORTING EDUCATORS WHO WILL ASSUME POSITIONS OF LEADERSHIP IN EDUCATIONAL AND COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS WITHIN AND BEYOND THE CENTRAL VALLEY OF CALIFORNIA.

SAIL is supported by the Fund for Improvement of Post Secondary Education (FIPSE) • A project of the College of Education, California State University Stanislaus

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

The SAIL program is designed for current doctoral candidates, master's degree students, administrators, and teachers currently seeking to enter and complete their graduate and postgraduate education in order to address the need for role models to serve in educational leadership capacities. The goal of SAIL is to provide expanded academic opportunities for Hispanic and other underserved and underrepresented students.

SAIL scholars participate in small learning communities focused on dual language education, defining the problems into researchable matters for master's theses and doctoral dissertations, which will have a direct impact on increasing the level of excellence in Hispanic education.



*learn about real
problems and
issues faced daily in
hispanic and dual
language education*

PROGRAM GOALS

1. To establish a learning community and mentoring relationships that will provide an academic and social support structure for students.
2. To develop research capacities within graduate students.
3. To establish a collaborative to study key issues in the education of Hispanic students, such as the effectiveness of dual language instruction.



THE SAIL SCHOLARS MODEL

- **Small Learning Community:** Activities will include the hosting of visiting lecturers, scholars, and post-Doctoral students, as well as sponsorship of faculty colloquia, conference presentations, and the development of a research institute dedicated to dual language and Hispanic education.
- **Mentorship:** Mentorship activities will include joint research and co-authorship of research studies and presentations at national conferences, and collaboration on developing grant proposals.
- **Doctoral Values:** Teaching and learning in the Doctoral program is inquiry oriented, exploring research questions and applications of the highest levels. The program will organize and host an annual master's thesis and dissertation award event, recognizing exemplary thesis and dissertation work.
- **Demystification of Graduate Research:** The program will create a laboratory experience for Hispanic and other underserved and underrepresented graduate students with the Dual Language programs in our service area.
- **Online Learning Communities:** Dedoose Internet-based software will support students in conducting integrated qualitative and quantitative research with teams working across the University service area, across the nation, and internationally.

*languages are
the windows to
other worlds*





CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY STANISLAUS
STANISLAUS ASOCIACIÓN DE INVESTIGACIÓN LATINA
SAIL SCHOLARS PROGRAM APPLICATION

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

The SAIL Scholars Program is supported by The Fund for the Improvement of Post Secondary Education (FIPSE). SAIL Scholars will receive financial support to present at national conferences, faculty and professional mentoring support, research support software, and professional/scholarly recognition and development.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name _____ CSU Stanislaus ID _____

Address _____ City, State, Zip _____

Cell Phone#: _____ House Phone# _____

E-mail _____ Date of Birth _____

Male Female Do you work in a bilingual/dual language program? Yes _____ No _____

What is your current employment? _____

(Optional) Please indicate which of the following categories you identify with. You may check more than one.

- Alaskan Native (Eskimo or Aleut) Black or African American White American Indian Hispanic or Latino Asian
 Native Pacific Islander Other Decline to State

EDUCATION

Cumulative GPA to date _____

Undergraduate Graduate MA Graduate Ed.D. Other: _____

Expected completion date: _____ University/College(s) attended: _____

PERSONAL STATEMENT

Please briefly address each of the following elements separately (no more than 2 pages total)

- 1) What are your personal and professional qualifications, including experiences working with K-12 students?
- 2) Describe your commitment/experience related to bilingual/dual language education.
- 3) How will the FIPSE/SAIL Scholars Program contribute to your professional development?

RECOMMENDATIONS

Please provide two professional references familiar with your potential.

Name of Reference: _____ Institution: _____ Relation to you: _____ Phone Number: _____

How did you hear about the SAIL Scholars Program? (Check all that apply)

- Classmate Faculty Academic Advisor Current Scholar Student Flier Posters E-mail message
 Website Information session Classroom presentation Newspaper Radio Television
 Other _____
-

I acknowledge that the above information is correct to the best of my knowledge. I authorize the SAIL Scholars Selection Committee to view my academic records in order to verify and fully assess my qualifications. I also agree to participate in professional development, research, and evaluation activities associated with the SAIL Scholars Program.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

SEE SAIL WEB SITE FOR APPLICATION DEADLINE

Submit completed applications to:

Department of Teacher Education

DBH 330

CSU Stanislaus

One University Circle

Turlock, CA 95382

The SAIL Scholars Program is supported by the Fund for the Improvement of Post Secondary Education (FIPSE). A project of the College of Education, California State University Stanislaus.

SAIL Web site: www.csustan.edu/SAIL



SAIL

STANISLAUS ASOCIACIÓN
DE INVESTIGACIÓN LATINA

SAIL SUPPORTED
BY THE FUND FOR
IMPROVEMENT OF
POST SECONDARY
EDUCATION.

FIPSE



FOR MORE INFORMATION

SAIL Scholars Program Director
Department of Teacher Education
DBH 330, CSU Stanislaus
One University Circle
Turlock, CA 95382
sailscholars@csustan.edu
(209) 667-3357

TO APPLY

Complete the enclosed application, or apply online at:
www.csustan.edu/SAIL

SAIL

STANISLAUS ASOCIACIÓN
DE INVESTIGACIÓN LATINA

SAIL SUPPORTED
BY THE FUND FOR
IMPROVEMENT OF
POST SECONDARY
EDUCATION.

FIPSE



CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY STANISLAUS
DEPARTMENT OF TEACHER EDUCATION
ONE UNIVERSITY CIRCLE
TURLOCK, CA 95382

